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[RUSH] MESSAGE:

(1) In claim pages dated 02/24/05, renumbered claim 8 (originally claim 14) depends from claim 9. Please advise/correct claim dependency.

(2) Original claim 18 is cancelled in claim pages dated 02/24/05, but still shown as allowed in NDA and index of claim. Please advise. Thank you

[XRUSH] RESPONSE: (1) Original claim 14 should depend from claim 9, as indicated in claims filed 2/24/2005.

(2) ~~Original~~ Original claim 18 should be cancelled, as indicated in claims filed 2/24/2005. ~~Original~~ Original claim 18 should not be allowed. The allowed claims are listed on the SUPPLEMENTAL Notice of Allowance.

INITIALS: DRKJ

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